#### **ORDINANCE 23-006**

# AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 18, CHAPTER 1, SECTION 113 OF THE TOWN OF KINGSTON SPRINGS MUNICIPAL CODE AND SETTING USER RATES AND FEES FOR THE TOWN OF KINGSTON SPRINGS WASTWATER TREATMENT FACILITIES

WHEREAS, Title 18, Chapter 1, Section 110 of the Town of Kingston Springs Municipal Code provides for the establishment of charges, rates, and fees for the use and operation and other matters as set forth therein related to the Town of Kingston Springs Publicly Owned Treatment Works (herein "POTW") for wastewater; and

WHEREAS, Title 18, Chapter 1, Section 113 of the Town of Kingston Springs Municipal Code provides that the User Rates for use of the POTW shall be set by Resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners, pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated §7-35-414, has determined that such charges, rates, and fees shall be set by ordinance and that such charges, rates, and fees shall be incorporated as part of the Town's Schedule of Fees in the Appendix to the Municipal Code.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the Town of Kingston Springs Board of Commissioners that Title 18, Chapter 1, Section 113 of the Town Municipal Code shall be deleted and replaced in its entirety as follow:

18-113. <u>User rates for those persons utilizing the town's wastewater treatment facilities</u>. User rates of the town shall be adopted by ordinance and set forth in the Schedule of Fees for the Town contained in the Appendix to the Municipal Code.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that the attached Schedule of User Rates and Fees shall be adopted for the use and operation of the POTW pursuant to Title 18, Chapter 1, Section 110 of the Municipal Code and added to the Appendix of the Municipal Code. This Ordinance shall take effect the later of the date that is 15 days after its passage or upon publication of this Ordinance or its caption, the public welfare demanding it.

Passed on First Reading

June 15, 2023

Passed on Second Reading

July 20, , 2023

Fin 4. hm III

Francis A. Gross III, Mayor of Kingston Springs, Tennessee

#### ATTEST:

Jamie Dupré, Town Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney

### Schedule of User Rates and Fees for the Town of Kingston Springs Wastewater Treatment Facilities

## TOWN OF KINGSTON SPRINGS, TENNESSEE ANNUAL SEWER RATE INCREASE

Date of Passage of Resolution 23-007 – June 15, 2023

Date of Notice to SSCUD: May 30, 2023

Current Rates:

Current Usage Categories	Current Rates
Base	10.03
0-2000 Gallons	7.93
2001 - 4000 Gallons	11.63
4001 – 12,000 Gallons	11.81
12,001 – 20,000 Gallons	11.96
20,001 - Plus	12.41

Current Sewer Service Fee: \$50.00

New Rates beginning July 1, 2023:

New Usage Categories	2023-2024 Usage Rates
Base Fee (includes first 1,000 gallons)	\$40.00
1,001 – 12,000 gallons	\$10.00 per 1,000 gallons
12,001 gallons & above	\$14.00 per 1,000 gallons

New Sewer Service Fees: \$75.00 Residential & \$150.00 Commercial

Residential Sewer Hook Up Fee: \$1.00 per Septic Tank Gallon

Commercial Sewer Hook Up Fee: \$2.00 per Septic Tank Gallon